## Senate Study Bill 3157 - Introduced

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ВУ	(PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON
	STATE GOVERNMENT BILL BY
	CHAIRPERSON SMITH)

## A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to the joint exercise of government powers by
- 2 federally recognized Indian tribes.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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- 1 Section 1. Section 28E.2, subsection 2, Code 2018, is
- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3 2. "Public agency" shall mean any political subdivision of
- 4 this state; any agency of the state government or of the United
- 5 States; and any political subdivision of another state. For
- 6 purposes of this chapter only, "public agency" also includes any
- 7 federally recognized Indian tribe.
- 8 EXPLANATION
- 9 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with 10 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.
- 11 This bill defines a public agency only for purposes of
- 12 allowing the joint exercise of governmental powers under Code
- 13 chapter 28E to include any federally recognized Indian tribe.